

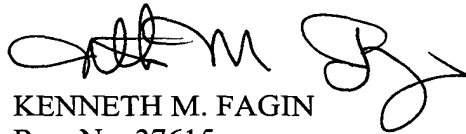
REMARKS

The claims 59-61 have been properly renumbered as claims 57-59 in order to put the claims in proper numerical sequence.

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